June 29, 2006

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Herewith I return to you Conference Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1007 entitled:

AN ACT

To appropriate money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the Department of Economic Development, Department of Insurance, and Department of Labor and Industrial Relations and the several divisions and programs thereof to be expended only as provided in Article IV, Section 28 of the Constitution of Missouri, and to transfer money among certain funds for the period beginning July 1, 2006 and ending June 30, 2007.

Section 7.205

I hereby veto \$254,469 Public Counsel funds for the Office of Public Counsel. Enacting legislation was not passed; therefore, this funding mechanism does not exist.

Personal Service by \$219,708 from \$219,708 to \$0 from Public Counsel Fund. Expense and Equipment by \$34,761 from \$34,761 to \$0 from Public Counsel Fund. From \$254,469 to \$0 in total from Public Counsel Fund. From \$994,779 to \$740,310 in total for the section.

On June 29, 2006 I approved said Conference Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1007, except for those items specifically vetoed and not approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Matt Blunt Governor